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**INQUIRY INTO ELECTRICITY SUPPLY, DEMAND AND
PRICES IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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Our family, along with others has been suffering massive price increases for electricity and ideally would like to see the supply of electricity in the hands of the government with the interests of its citizens upmost, rather than the driving force being profit for the private sector owners. Furthermore, there needs to be strong incentives to move to carbon free electricity production for the sake of our children in a warming climate. This includes a fair, legislated price for the solar feed in tariff for solar system owners. How can it be fair to charge 3 times for electricity feed in compared to what we need to pay for electricity? Finally, what chance have our beautiful street trees got of avoiding mutilation by electricity suppliers while this remains a private sector business. The cost of underground wires is only likely to be considered by a government provider truly working in the interests of its community.